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Applicant: Cibelli et al. Examiner: Woitach, Joseph T.  
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Title: EMBRYONIC OR STEM-LIKE CELL LINES PRODUCED BY CROSS SPECIES NUCLEAR TRANSPLANTATION AND METHODS FOR ENHANCING EMBRYONIC DEVELOPMENT BY GENETIC ALTERATION OF DONOR CELLS OR BY TISSUE CULTURE CONDITIONS.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In Response to the Office Action dated April 21, 2004, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following Amendment and consideration of the following remarks.

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed April 21, 2004, said period of response being extended from July 21, 2004 to August 21, 2004. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required \$110.00 fee to Deposit Account No. 13-2725.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.